

**MINUTES OF THE PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION OF
THE CITY OF STANTON
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2019**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The members of the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Commission of the City of Stanton met in regular session in the City Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m., Vice Chairperson Warren presiding.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by City Clerk, Patricia Vasquez.

3. ROLL CALL

Present: Vice Chairperson Warren, Commissioner Henry, Commissioner Himes, Commissioner Heitman and Commissioner Lacayo.

Excused: Chairperson Ontiveros.

Also present: Community Services Manager, Zenia Bobadilla, Community Services Supervisor, Ashley Cain and Assistant City Manager, Stephen Parker.

4. SPECIAL PRESENTATION AND AWARDS

Loreen Berlin, Greg Himes, Nancy Heitman, Beverly Henry and Debi Grand were sworn in by City Clerk, Patricia Vasquez as new Parks and Recreation Commissioners.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of January 28, 2019 Minutes.

MOTION: Commissioner Lacayo.

SECOND: Vice Chair Warren.

Motion unanimously carried.

6. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

6A. COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

- **PRESENTATION - PROP 68 FUNDING**

Supervisor, Ashley Cain gave an overview of the Prop 68 Funding.

Discussion followed

7. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Steve Sarkis, from the Orange County Historical Society mentioned some grant opportunities available through the County. Mr. Sarkis also donated tickets for Stanton residents to the OC Zoo.

8. NEW BUSINESS

8A. SPECIAL EVENTS DISCUSSION

At the request of Vice Chair Warren, this agenda item was heard out of order.

Vice Chair Warren recommended doing a City Wide Cleanup Day, a specific day of the year dedicated to service and improving the community. A number of cities are involved in a Love our Cities program which is modeled after City of Anaheim.

Vice Chair Warren would also like to look into initiating a mural program for the city utility boxes.

Community Services Manager, Zenia Bobadilla informed the Commission about changing or shortening the names of some Special Events due to marketing efforts it may become cumbersome to put long titles on bus shelters. A list of current events for 2019 was included in the communication folder for all commissioners to review.

Discussion followed

9. PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION COMMENTS

COMMISSION REORGANIZATION

Community Services Manager, Zenia Bobadilla opened nominations for Chairperson.

MOTION/SECOND: Berlin/Henry

Motion unanimously carried by the following vote:

AYES: 7 (Warren, Berlin, Grand, Henry, Heitman, Himes, Lacayo)

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Vice Chairperson Warren was unanimously elected as Chairperson.

Chairperson Warren opened nominations for Vice Chairperson.

MOTION/SECOND: Warren/Lacayo

Motion unanimously carried by the following vote:

AYES: 7 (Warren, Berlin, Grand, Henry, Heitman, Himes, Lacayo)

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Commissioner Greg Himes was selected as Vice Chairperson.

Commissioner Himes wanted to know more about the cost and benefit to the City on the Meet on Beach event.

Discussion followed

Chair Warren asked about partnering up with the Carver School at Norm Ross to use public art as a deterrent for graffiti.

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

Commission adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

s/ Zenia Bobadilla, Community Services Manager
